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SUBJECT: KECO'S SEOHAE THERMAL POWER PROJECT - EXIMBANK
PRELIMINARY COMMITMENT NO. 78-0-4156

1. EXIMBANK HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT KECO HAS PREPARED A
SHORT LIST FOR STEAM GENERATORS WHICH INCLUDES COMBUSTION
ENGINEERING INC. AND HITACHI OF JAPAN.

2. BOTH PRICES ARE SAID TO BE VERY CLOSE. JAPANESE
INTEREST RATE IS SAID 7.5 PERCENT OR 7.75 PERCENT.
ADDITIONALLY, AN ITALIAN FIRM IS SAID TO BE MAKING AN
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UNSOLICITED BID WITH SIMILAR FINANCING BUT AT A HIGHER
PRICE. JAPANESE LOAN SAID TO BE IN U.S. DOLLARS.

3. EXIMBANK WOULD APPRECIATE, AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, ANY
HELP THE EMBASSY CAN PROVIDE IN DETERMINING THE VALIDITY
OF THIS INFORMATION, KECO'S TIME SCHEDULE FOR CHOOSING
A SUPPLIER, AND ANY OTHER USEFUL INFORMATION. CHRISTOPHER

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